

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

LUIS SAMUEL VERAS-VELASQUEZ

CRIMINAL ACTION
NO. 15-169

PAPPERT, J.

July 28, 2022

ORDER

AND NOW, this 28th day of July 2022, upon consideration of Luis Samuel Veras-Velasquez's *pro se* Motion to Vacate, Set Aside or Correct Sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (ECF 29), the Government's Response (ECF 33) Veras-Velasquez's Reply (ECF 41) and his *pro se* Motions for Request of Appointment of Counsel (ECF 34) and to Amend his Petition (ECF 42), it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. Veras Velasquez's Motion to Amend is **GRANTED**. His § 2255 Petition and Motion for Appointment of Counsel are **DENIED**.
2. A certificate of appealability **SHALL NOT** issue. The Clerk of Court shall **CLOSE** this case.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Gerald J. Pappert
GERALD J. PAPPERT, J.